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THE WORLD OVER

HIPPO CHARGES FERRY BOAT

Angered because it had been harpooned a few days before, a hippopotamus lay in ambush and suddenly attacked a ferry boat operating on the Mpulanga swamp, a well-known Uganda waterway, near Nairobi. Charge after charge was made by the infuriated beast, which nearly boarded the vessel, the water being shallow so that it could obtain a foothold. Six natives, armed with spears, fought the invader until the arrival of a European, who shot it.

ELECTION OF QUEBEC

PREMIER CHALLENGED

QUEBEC—Quebec politics were in the spotlight again with wholesale contestants entered in superior court. Among the nine members-elect whose election November 25 is being challenged are Premier Taschereau, Paul Gouin, head of the Action Libérale Nationale, and Maurice Duplessis, Conservative leader.

ALASKAN PILOT MAKES

1600 MILES AIR DASH

CARRYING SERUM

FAIRBANKS, ALASKA — Serum rushed through below-zero weather in another epic aerial dash by Joe Crosson, "merry" air hero, was used on Monday in Fairbanks' battle against Scarlet Fever.

It was 42 degrees below zero when Crosson, Co. pilot Murray Stewart and Pilot Mechanic J. Ames left Fairbanks and 45 below when they returned. They had to negotiate hundreds of miles of dangerous mountain country. At times they climbed to 18,000 feet to avoid cloud banks. The little city of 2500 revivified in a virtual state of siege. Special police continued to patrol the streets. Schools, churches, theatres, the University of Alaska and all public meeting places were closed.

GOOD PRICE FOR LIVESTOCK

ST. PAUL, Minn.—A consignment of Canadian cattle, the first to arrive here since the reciprocal trade treaty became effective, was sold on the market on Monday at prices meeting prices for native stock. Steers sold at \$8 to \$25 a hundred pounds, the same price as that paid for top stock. Heifers brought \$7 to \$7.50 a hundred. Cows \$5.50 to \$6.50, and bulls \$5.25 to \$6. Best Canadian bulls were however were ahead of the trend bringing as high as \$6.50.

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CARBON CURLING CLUB HAS NINE RINKS

Personnel of Rinks Now Playing on Schedule

Nine complete rinks are now playing to schedule for the 1933-34 Royal Hotel trophies at the Carbon Curling rink, and many interesting games have been played lately.

The following is the personnel of the rinks of the Carbon Curling Club:

First name mentioned is skip, second plays third, third plays second and last is lead (can you figure that out?)

C. H. Smith, N. Nash, Geo. Watt and Cliff Hibel.

Dick Gimbel, Geo. Simpson, Leo Halstead and Vic Luft.

Alec Poxon, Cyril Poxon, Leo Tremper and Ed Moodie.

F. J. Bennett, S. J. Garrett, Otto Schiele and Sam Poon.

P. Edwards, J. M. Macdonald, G. Murray and I. Mortimer.

Len Poxon, Rev. McNichol, Jack Atkinson and H. Woods.

S. Reid, A. F. McKibbin, V. Hawkins and Paul Greenan.

C. I. MacGraw, Jas. Flaws, S. N. Wicks and Bob Hewitt.

R. Sherry, S. F. Torrance, F. Barber and Sydney Wright.

HON. J. G. GARDINER WINS IN ASSINIBOIA

Hon. J. G. Gardiner, former Saskatchewan premier who became Minister of Agriculture in the federal Liberal Administration of Prime Minister Mackenzie King, on Monday won a seat in Parliament by defeating Wm. Irvine, C.C.F., in the Assiniboia by-election.

Mr. Gardiner had a majority of approximately two to one. It was a straight fight.

SMALL DEBTS COURT MAY BE REOPENED

Small debts court, recently closed as an economy measure by the provincial government, may re-open in the near future, it was learned. A plan has been submitted to Premier Aberhart, it was understood. If it is approved the court will probably re-open immediately.

Wins Competition for Advertising

Mr. W. Smith, of the North End Lumber Yard, Didsbury, has been awarded the first prize in a competition for the best and most constructive advertising conducted by the Newcastle Coal Co. of Drumheller. The prize was a beautiful 50-piece set of silverware valued at \$100.—Didsbury Pioneer.

Mr. Smith was formerly manager of the old Imperial Lumber Yard at Carbon.

ABERHART AGAIN CRITIZES ALBERTA, DOMINION PRESS

Criticizing an article appearing in a Canadian national magazine on the subject of Social Credit, rapping the press of Canada in general, and stating a Social Credit daily newspaper in Alberta might be necessary, Premier William Aberhart addressed the congregation of the Calgary Prophetic Bible Institute Sunday afternoon.

The premier spoke in reply to the editor of the national magazine on the article "What of Social Credit?" The premier took particular exception to the statements in the article that he owned radio broadcasting station CFCN, and emphatically denied there was any truth in it. He said he had no control over stations which ever, aside from a regular contract.

"The press is becoming a nuisance. The people of the world are beginning to realize that they will have to own and control their own press. We do not want to go into the publishing business but we won't be afraid to go into it," said the premier.

Referring to the basic dividend payment, Premier Aberhart said the people should be willing to extend the period from 18 months to an additional four or six months when they considered the "muck" the new government had to wade through before it would get started.

BEST ESTATE TO HOLD AUCTION SALE

Date Set For Wednesday January 15th

Posters are out announcing the sale of the Harry Best Estate, the sale to take place next Wednesday at the farm one mile south and two miles west of Carbon. S. N. Wright is the auctioneer. The sale commences at 11 o'clock with lunch at noon.

PENALIZING THE PRESS

There is an old saying that "it depends on whose ox is gored," which is very true. One can regard the suffering of others with considerably more composure than one's own suffering.

A case in point is the prohibition of liquor advertising, a ban which has been placed upon Alberta Newspapers and periodicals, resulting in a loss of between \$10,000 and \$14,000 per year. This is a dividend in reverse. It is in effect a toll, ranging around \$250 a year upon each weekly newspaper. And, on the other hand, the government is planning to draw in a larger revenue for its own profit through liquor sales.

It does not seem to be a consistent and for the government to take. On the one hand welcoming all possible revenue from liquor sales, in order to pay salaries and expenses of government; and, at the same time, withdrawing part of the livelihood from one particular industry of the province.

If this were a prohibition province, the situation would be very different. The ban on liquor advertising would then be in line with provincial policies. But as it is, the business is carried on by the government itself. Profits from the business are accepted with enthusiasm and more profits are desired. Yet the newspapers are forbidden to participate. The government piles its trade of serving beer parlours and liquor vendors. The business goes right along on even keel in full view of the youthful public, which is supposed to be endangered by the advertisements of the weekly press.—High River Times.

CHRONICLE ADX PAY

MAY HAVE SKATING YET THIS SEASON

The work has kept space in the attempt to get a well to provide water for the flooding of the skating rink and the good news was flashed the first of the week that water had been struck and that the Village was making preparations to have the eribing put in at once. Although the season is on little late, it looks as if Carbon may have some skating this winter after all and the work done at the well will be appreciated another year.

NEW TYPE OF SNOW PLOW SAID TO BE EFFICIENT

A new type of snowplow, constructed by Central Canadian Greyhound Lines, was put into operation for the first time Saturday on the highway between Calgary and Medicine Hat and successfully battled the week-end snow to enable bus traffic to run on schedule.

The new plow, operated with permission from the provincial government, travels at high speed and clears a wide path.

On both sides of the road at 25 miles per hour, the new plow cut through snow from the highway over forces at the side of the road. It cleared a space wide enough to permit two cars to pass each other comfortably.

ALBERTA HAS 16,000,000 DUCKS, STATISTICS SAY

Sixteen million ducks winged over Alberta's waterways, forests, bushlands and prairies during 1935, officials of the New Game Birds of the American Foundation discovered during their 1935 census of the duck population of North America, according to their completed report, which has recently been issued.

The report placed the total number of ducks in Alberta, Saskatchewan, Manitoba and the Northwest Territories at 40,500,000, and the total for the North American continent at 65,000,000.

The greatest gathering of ducks was found in the Central Alberta and Saskatchewan regions.

WHEAT AS FEED FOR STOCK

The year 1935 will be remembered as a very disappointing crop year. As a result of rust, frost and hail, yields of all grains were very much reduced and much of the wheat is very low grade. Prices for this low grade wheat are so extremely low that, where possible, farmers will be wise to find some other methods of marketing them through the elevators.

Wheat of good quality is a valuable feed for fattening purposes, but low grade shrunken wheat, because it is usually richer in protein than plump wheat, has a tendency to produce growth rather than to fatten livestock. For this reason, although it is a very low grade, wheat is particularly good feed for young and growing stock, and for milk cows, partly shrunken wheat fed as the sole grain is not a good feed for finishing market animals.

Wheat that is badly shrunken is lacking in the starch necessary for producing fat, and if barley or rye is sensibly mixed with it is increased. Much of the 1935 grown oats and barley will contain a higher percentage of hull than usual, and as wheat fed alone often forms a pasty mass in the animal's mouth, the addition of oats and barley tends to overcome the "gummy" tendency of the wheat. For good results any grain should be mixed at least with one other grain, and this is especially true of shrunken wheat.

Wheat may be fed with satisfactory results to cattle, sheep, hogs and even horses. It should be ground coarsely or rolled for cattle, hogs and horses. Sheep apparently do just as well on whole as on ground wheat. In an experiment conducted at the Dominion experimental station, Lacombe, to obtain data relative to the feeding and "hog market" value of frozen wheat when marketed through a sales outlet at \$7 per bushel, live weight, realized 82 cents a bushel.

Hesketh Sparklets

The skating rink is finished and the boys and girls opened it with a skating party and wienie roast.

Boys, why not get together some day and see if you can't get enough water to finish the rink opposite the hall. You have done a lot of work on it and it is a pity to see it fall thru.

The hockey team is all ready to go. Why not come down some day, Carbon?

Signs that the depression is over. Two young ladies are wearing diamonds on their left hands since Christmas.

A young lady in the district expected to get the diamond for Christmas but she got a pair of stockings. She says it is her right to have now. It is leap year and she is either going to get a diamond or silk dress. Don't be caught out after dark boys.

Scotty says the early bird catches the worm. What does the darn fool want to be out early for anyway.

Jack says leap year dances are not what they should be. The girls get all the fun.

Say girls, it is leap year. It is up to you to get a dance on and do the paying. The boys will bring the cake. Come on now girls; be sports.

There are one or two more cases of measles in Hesketh. It looks as if it is going to be a regular measles place.

The schools around have all opened up again. The mothers have all snuggled on their faces again.

Some of the fans are taking in the hockey games at Drumheller. Remember the New Year's resolutions and don't take anything else in except the hockey men.

Joe Ameyland had his ears frozen for the second time this winter. Will that darn fool ever learn to keep his ears covered.

The Doubtboobers had a big wedding in the Beveridge. Lacie school about two weeks ago. "Nash" said. This is the second Doubtboobers wedding within the last two months.

W. MANCELL DIES: FUNERAL WEDSDAY

Homesteaded Near Carbon In Early Days

The death of Walter Mancell of Carbon took place at his home on Sunday, January 5th.

The late Mr. Mancell was born in Chatham, Ontario, and was 78 years of age. He came to the Carbon district 31 years ago and homesteaded north east of town, where he resided until about five years ago when he moved into town with his family.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Elma Mancell, born, William of Vancouver, Harvey of Drumheller, and Leonard and Leslie of Carbon; four daughters, Mrs. Ada Shantz of Vancouver, Mrs. C. Pattison, and Mrs. F. Duffin of Carbon, and Mrs. J. Shale of Calgary. Also three sisters and two brothers in Ontario.

Funeral services were held in the Carbon United Church at 2 o'clock on Wednesday, January 8th, the Rev. Wm. McNichol officiating. Mrs. McKibbin acted as the organist.

Floral tributes were received from Mother, Leslie and Harvey, Will and Ada and Pauline, Vancouver, Mrs. and Mrs. J.W. Pattison, Vancouver, Mrs. J. Shale, Calgary, and Mrs. J. Shale, Calgary.

Interment took place in the Carbon cemetery.

FUNERAL SERVICES FOR LATE H. BEST

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Morality and Democracy

A Toronto newspaper editor, addressing a club in that city recently made an urgent plea for a return to what he termed the "Old System of Morality," basing his plea on the declaration that if democracy and its key-stones, freedom of the press, freedom of thought and freedom of action are to survive, reversion to former standards of morality is essential.

The editorial writer asserted that "democracy never was in greater danger than it is to-day, even though it may not be threatened by emperors or tyrants, except those of our own creation. The threat is the ultimate moral and physical collapse of democracy's constituent parts."

While perhaps none of the illustrations used by this editor were somewhat overdrawn, nevertheless the premises on which he based his argument are sound and the warning and its accompanying plea for rehabilitation of some of the virtues which dominated family life and were regarded as an essential in the conduct of trade and commerce in the days of our parents and grandparents are worthy of consideration and should be heeded.

The pendulum of morality and conduct has swung through a wide arc since those days when it was regarded a sin to read a newspaper on the Sabbath day, when children were universally taught and expected to reverence their elders and when those elders themselves were largely motivated by simple but inspired rules in the conduct of their homes, their farms or their businesses and in their relations with their neighbors.

Perhaps the pendulum has swung too far in the direction of lack of restraint and elimination of self-governance, for it is a sine qua non that self-governance is a necessity before one can govern others with success or improve respect. The lowering of moral standards of the individual is bound to have an adverse effect on the life of the community and the nation and eventually to determine the communal and national welfare.

Few perhaps are prepared to argue that we should return to the prohibitions and restrictions of the Victorian era in their entirety but there is reasonable ground for argument that reversion to some of the virtues which dominated the actions of the period would not only not be amiss but would tend to strengthen democracy.

Who would deny, for instance, that a more extensive practice of thrift, hard work, reverence for authority, respect for law and order and simple pleasures, would tend in the direction of building up a vigorous, self-reliant nation, or that a nation of individuals, who are generally equipped, is best able to hold its own in the conflicts for supremacy and in the battle for maintenance?

The value of these virtues in the individual in determining the national advancement and welfare is well illustrated in the achievements of the Romans in the century immediately preceding the birth of Christ. During that period the Roman Empire reached the zenith of its brilliant career. It was the era of its most illustrious writers, agriculturists, historians, law makers, commanders and statesmen, yet it was a period in which the simple virtues dominated the upbringing of the youth and the lives of the people. Testimony to that effect is afforded in a bulletin recently published by one of the great companies in which the following quotations are found:

"The education of the Roman boys and girls of the period was designed to fit them for farm life. Girls were taught to manage a home, to spin and weave, boys to plow, sow, reap, and to manage the business affairs of the farm, and, as well, to know how to conduct the various offices of state, including the very highest for farmers above all others, were chosen to fill these exalted positions."

"The character of the young people was moulded so as to develop a respect for parental authority and for law and order. They were taught to be modest in speech, discreet in behaviour, and as well to be thrifty and self-reliant."

The practice of these simple and fundamental virtues does not necessarily involve abandonment of the fruits of scientific achievement which have so beautifully enriched present day life, but it does mean that we will take advantage of them as we can afford them without mortgaging the future to the debt.

The fact that this tendency on the part of our governments exists is a healthy sign, for governments are supposed to have their ear to the ground and to know what the people want. Maybe the pendulum has already started to swing back.

Reconstruction Policy

Parliament To Be Asked To Endorse Program

Parliament will be asked at the coming session to endorse a proposal for a wide-spread program of reconstruction policy, including building homes, slum clearance, land and settlement and reforestation. Loans under the scheme would be available at low interest rates, while the creation of greater opportunity for the youth of Canada would be a major objective.

Sponsor of the proposal will be Thomas L. Church (Cons., Toronto-Broadview), who will ask approval of a resolution in the following terms:

1. That in the opinion of this house, Canada should immediately adopt a comprehensive national housing, building, reconstruction, renovation, slum clearance, land, mortgage and reforestation policy, adapted to its circumstances, and also embracing as one of its main features a national policy for youth in relation to education and industry and employment, so as to get people off the dole and back to remunerative employment.

2. And further, this house is also of the opinion that in any such national reconstruction policy a lower rate structure for bank, mortgage and insurance loans is an immediate necessity. Such a reconstruction policy to also embrace protection for industrial workers in urban and suburban areas from forfeiture on the same principle as farmers and fishermen are now afforded by existing legislation.

A seven-leaf clover has been discovered by scientists.

There are only 12 letters in the Hawaiian alphabet.

Medicated with ingredients of Vicks VapoRub
VICKS COUGH DROP

Quakes Are Annoying

Northern Ontario Settlers Are Now Properly

This business of earthquake shaking up along the Trembling and Saginaw Ontario railways has gone far past the thrill and novelty stage. If they don't soon stop, say harassed settlers, the government will have to do something.

The folks up around River station, 30 miles north of North Bay, are posted, nervous and plain fed up. The latest complaint came from P. P. Saima, who may be regarded as official spokesman for settlers in the River area.

Settler Saima snowed out two miles from his cabin to the nearest telephone line and let it be known that the least the federal authorities can do is start an investigation. After all, there must be some cause for these rattlings and shakings.

Mr. Saima said tremors have been felt ever since last May, and the big quakes are getting worse with epicentres near River, left its trail of recurrent rumblings and quivers.

"They last from a few seconds to more than a minute, and have come at the rate of 15 or 20 in a single day," said Mr. Saima. "I think the ground in which my cabin is built must be hollow, for the cabin seems to lift right up in the air when the rumbling comes. And from the sound of the rumbling I believe the ground on each side is hollow too."

Canada Must Support League
Canada's proper future is tied up with the British Commonwealth of Nations and the League of Nations and it is to this country's advantage to support these groups wholeheartedly, declared Sir Robert Falconer, president of the League of Nations Society in Canada, in an address before the Border Cities branch at Windsor, Ont.

Greenland is the only place in the world where the mineral crystals of the aluminum industry are found in quantity.

Economic Council

Premier Of Nova Scotia Appoints

Prominent Men Of The Province

Representatives of Nova Scotia's mining, lumbering, fishing, agricultural and manufacturing industries were named along with education and labor authorities to a newly-created economic council by Premier Angus L. Macdonald.

Mr. Macdonald, Premier of Nova Scotia, headed by Dr. A. Stansfeld MacKenzie, former president of Dalhousie University, who will be chairman of the commission, had assured the premier they were "quite ready to render their assistance in every possible way."

The council was instituted on the recommendation of the Jones commission which investigated the economic ills of this province a year ago and reported "we believe that the first need is the establishment of an economic council."

The following were named as members of the council:

Dr. A. S. MacKenzie, a noted Canadian scientist, former president of Dalhousie University and senior member of the national research council of Canada, chairman;

Dr. A. E. Balcan, professor of economics, University of Victoria, Vice-president; representing education;

F. W. Gray, assistant general manager of the Dominion Steel and Coal Corporation, associated with the Nova Scotia steel and coal industry in various executive capacities since 1906—representing mining;

C. G. Hawkins, of Millford Station, Kings county, prominent Nova Scotia lumberman;

Neil McLaughlin, president of the plant council of the Sydney steel plant—representing labor;

Dr. Donald P. Macdonald, associate professor of geology at St. Francis Xavier University, Antigonish, who has had wide practical experience as a geological expert since 1906 when he graduated from George Washington University;

O. S. MacKenzie, president of Halifax Fisheries and established that exporting firm in 1914 after he had had practical experience as a fisherman—representing fishing;

Frank Stanfield, Truro, president of Stanfield's Limited—representing manufacturing;

F. Waldo Walsh, director of marketing for the Nova Scotia department of agriculture—representing agriculture.

The council will probably meet early in the next year. One of its first duties will be to appoint a permanent secretary. All appointments are effective immediately.

New Engine For Plane

Famous Freightliner Will Take To Air Again Soon

One of Canada's largest "planes," the famous Junkers JU-52 freightliner, is to take to the air again by Canadian Airways, will take to the air again soon and practice re-entrance to its first duties will be to appoint a permanent secretary. All appointments are effective immediately.

The huge ship, built to carry tons of freight and with a cabin so large a man can walk up and down it without bending his head, only made a few flights in northern Manitoba when it became a "white elephant of the air."

The men got so fed up with the Canadian aeronautics branch's refusal to license the ship even if repair parts were obtained caused Canadian Airways to put it in storage. The government air experts said the motor was not big enough for such a huge "plane."

But the British air ministry just recently released one of its proved 600-horsepower Rolls Royce air motors and Canadian Airways purchased it. One-third greater in power than the old motor, it will be fitted to the Junkers and the "plane again put in operation. Plans are afoot for it flying over the prairies in the near future taking it north again for the heavy freight work there.

World's Oldest Men

Have Just Died Within Short Time Of Each Other

The world's oldest men have just died almost at the same time. At Mala Krasna, near Belgrade, Jugoslavia, a man named Trajko Smiljkovich has died at the age of 131.

He had been married for 50 years and enjoyed good health almost to the end of his life. His wife who survives him, is still upright and sturdy. All the peasants for miles around are mourning for the old man, for he was an excellent storyteller and a wise old fellow for 50 years. Besides this, they regret that his one ambition—to ride in a motor car before he died—was unfulfilled. Meanwhile the oldest man in Durban, Natal, has died at the age of 108. He was Kramchund, an Indian market vendor. He came to Durban from India in 1874.



"KNOW CANADA" CONTEST Starts Jan. 4

531 Cash PRIZES

1st Prize	\$1,000.00
2nd Prize	500.00
3rd Prize	100.00
4th Prize	50.00
5th Prize	25.00
6th Prize	25.00
20 Prizes of	10.00
30 Prizes of	5.00
475 Prizes of	2.00

Just think what you could do with \$1,000.01! Make a big payment on a new home—buy a new automobile—buy new furniture for your home—take your family on an extended trip—ensure a college education for your children. The STAR WEEKLY "KNOW CANADA" PUZZLE CONTEST offers \$1,000.00 as the first cash prize. 331 prizes in all—all cash prizes. The contest itself will provide a great deal of fun and prove of real educational value to your whole family. Be sure to enter, to match your skill against your neighbors and win one of these big cash prizes that will give you money to go places and do things.

For 12 weeks The Star Weekly in Canada and Newfoundland—except employees of The Toronto Star Weekly and The Toronto Daily Star and their families. As many members of one family as wish can enter the contest, but each must send in a separate set of puzzle pictures, with names selected—and any person can send in as many entries as he or she wishes, providing a complete set of pictures, with names suggested, accompanies each entry.

The contest is open to everyone who can read and write English.

STAR WEEKLY \$3,000 CASH CONTEST

Get The Star Weekly from Your News Dealer—10c Everywhere

Identification Cards

Use Throughout Canada Is Recommended By Montreal Citizens

Use of identification cards for citizens throughout Canada, was recommended by Brig.-Gen. E. de Paen, president of Montreal unemployed relief commission.

Such a scheme, he told members of the City Improvement League, would aid greatly in such problems as relieving unemployment, preventing impersonation at polling booths and would also serve in the nature of a passport within the country.

Almost A Tragedy

They had been married only a month and he had left for a few minutes while she prepared a salad in the kitchen.

Suddenly a piercing scream rang out, and he rushed to the kitchen prepared to face he knew not what.

"Whatever is the matter, darling?" he panted.

"It's a—she's a caterpillar!" she said, with an effort. "Oh, Herbert, what if I had been in the house alone!"

Still a car will keep running despite new models that make it look funny.

A seven-leaf clover has been discovered by scientists.

New Discovery Important

Chemical Prevents Ice Forming On Aeroplane Wings

A chemical method of preventing the formation of ice on aeroplane wings has been discovered by research engineers of the Royal Air Force. It was announced by Sir Philip Sassoon, parliamentary under-secretary to the air ministry.

It is generally believed the loss of the Belgian air liner December 10 near Tatfield, Kent, which took 11 persons to their death, was caused by the accumulation of ice on the plane's wings.

Sir Philip said the new discovery is being carefully developed and is expected to make for greater safety in all kinds of flying weather.

"What do you make a week?" asked the judge of an Italian organ grinder.

"Twenty dollars, sir."

"Twenty dollars for grinding an organ?"

"No, sir. I am not for the grind, but for da shut up and go away."

Do right and fear no man. Don't write and fear no woman.

No man can make a fool of himself all the time. He has to sleep occasionally.

New Dwellings Needed

Many Homes Needed In Canada To House Low Wage Earners

The board of control at Ottawa and under consideration a report from a sub-committee of the National Construction Council of Canada saying at least 2,000 new dwellings are needed to house low-wage earners and relief tenants.

The report said at least 576 existing occupied dwelling units might be demolished to make room for new and more satisfactory houses.

It added rehabilitation of 1,369 houses should be launched and that 5,625 families are occupying 3,529 dwellings causing serious overcrowding.

A Simple Preventive

Of eight victims of diphtheria in Toronto last year, only one had been toxoided. Among more than 100,000 immunized since 1929, this is the only case where diphtheria has proven fatal, and there are said to be circumstances which explain this one.

Is there any other deadly disease where a simple preventive measure is as sure a guarantee against a fatal attack?—Toronto Star.

Eighty per cent of all adults are afflicted with infantile paralysis, according to estimates.

Save Money

COOK THREE VEGETABLES IN THE SAME POT with Apples

Applebuds

SIMPLE DIRECTIONS ON THE PACKAGE TRY IT SOON!

Warehouses At Calgary, Edmonton, Regina and Winnipeg

Contends Democracy Threatened By Moral And Physical Collapse

Re-establishment of "the old system of morality" is necessary for democracy, stated by those who have benefited most from its freedom, is to survive, C. O. Knowles, editor of the Toronto Evening Telegram, told the annual meeting of the Good Fellowship Club.

He urged a more intelligent use of "the freedom" which he said started with the freedom of the press, which was the beginning and end of all civil liberty under the democratic form of government.

"If any intelligent audience were to be asked to-day what was the greatest privilege we enjoy, the answer would undoubtedly be the priceless heritage of personal freedom—freedom of thought, freedom of speech, freedom of action—something that we have come to regard as the inalienable right of the British people," Mr. Knowles said.

"When we speak of the freedom of the press, we rarely grasp the full significance of what is involved. The freedom of the press is not merely something in the nature of a special privilege accorded to newspaper publishers. Without a free press you have no other kind of freedom. This right to print newspapers, periodicals and books is merely a phase of man's freedom in every phase of life."

A free press is the sign manual of democracy. The first act of a dictator is to strangle a free press and substitute therefore publicity bureau for the purpose of proclaiming his own supreme greatness. You have glaring examples of this in three great countries in the world to-day."

Mr. Knowles declared that democracy never was in greater danger than it is to-day, even though it may not be threatened by emperors or tyrants, except those of our own creation. The threat, he said, is the ultimate moral and physical collapse of democracy's constituent parts.

"The greatest danger which threatens our civilization to-day is the so-called high standards of life—the ease and luxury regarded as modern necessities by the dominant white race," he declared. Life had been speeded up without any regard whether or not it was in man's best interests.

"It is only necessary to frequent the moving picture theatres to grasp the fact that the most childish form of entertainment is the most popular. The lowest forms of literature and imitations of science and art have the greatest appeal to the masses. Books are circulated through Sunday school libraries to-day which in your mother's day could not be openly sold, and any clean-minded person would blush if they were found in his possession."

"Reason has swept away religious beliefs, and moral standards even among the so-called leaders of the world. We have emptied the Sunday schools and the churches, while the reformatories and the jails are filled to overflowing."

Enjoyed Their Liberty

Chimpanzees At Baltimore Medical School Smash Test Tubes

Three huge female chimpanzees escaped from their quarters at the Johns Hopkins' medical school, in Baltimore, during a period of liberty spread havoc.

Swinging along with ease and grace, they first entered a classroom in the anatomy building by a window. Test tubes flew in all directions as the chimpanzees listened merrily to the tinkling of breaking glass.

One of the chattering apes was trying to find out what made an electric clock tick when a small posse of instructors descended upon the classroom.

The chimpanzees slipped quietly out through the window as the instructors entered.

The chase led to the courtyard of the medical library. One of the chimpanzees, nicknamed Mac West, swung a heavy punch at an unnamed instructor in anthropology as he attempted to lure her with food. The instructor ducked, just in time, and fled.

Finally, the havoc-making trio was coaxed back into the cage with food and the excitement ended. They had slipped out while repairs were being made to their quarters.

May Prove Important

The Winnipeg Free Press says two local inventors have succeeded in producing a gasifier for automobiles which, they claim, will increase the efficiency of the internal combustion engines by 100 per cent. It tests prove this to be the case.

The most important inventions of this decade.

The SNAPSHOT GUILD

HAVE A SNAPSHOT PARTY



The "magic chair" will prove to be a popular attraction.

Some people just naturally frown on the idea of doing anything unusual or different, but that as it may, here's a suggestion for a new kind of party. A "Snapshot at Night Party" and the chances are it will be voted by those who are fortunate enough to be invited as an outstanding success.

To further add to the merit of the party you might have your guests arrive here is what you do. Place a chair in an out-of-the-way part of the room that it will not be disturbed by the guests as they arrive. Close to the chair, directly in front of the chair place a floor lamp so that the light bulb is about two feet from the back of the chair. Now tilt the shade slightly upward so that it will throw the light directly on the subject.

With the lamps in this position you will have to take the picture from the side; so place your camera on a table or some firm support at a point where you can see all of your subject in the finder. If you have a folding camera with an f.6.3 lens upon it to that aperture and set the shutter speed at 1/250 of a second.

With superlative panchromatic film in your camera and two Photo-flood bulbs in the lamp facing the subject and one in the lamp back of the chair you are ready for the arrival of your guests and fascinating snapshots at night.

In placing your camera be sure that neither the lights appear directly into the lens of the camera or show to the guests directly.

After your guests have arrived lead them one by one to the "magic chair," switch on the Photo-flood lamp, and—snap—you have the picture. And you can count on much admiration as each faces the camera.

Suppose you do have a camera with a lens as fast as f.6.3. You can have your party and take pictures with any camera just the same. You can take a short time exposure without any change in the camera.

In taking either a snapshot at night at 1/250 of a second or a time exposure of 1/2 second, you must not move when the picture is taken.

Your and your guests will have fun at a Snapshot at Night Party and in turn you will have some highly interesting pictures to enjoy looking at for many years to come.

JOHN VAN GUILDER

An Example Of Brevity

Lord Tweedsmuir Tells Of Essay Written By A Small Girl

Out of the mouths of babes and sucklings Lord Tweedsmuir, governor-general of Canada, gave the Canadian Club at Ottawa an example of magnificent brevity and succinctness in the course of a luncheon speech. It delighted the audience.

Here it is:

"A small girl was asked in school to write something about the prophet Elijah. The answer was as follows: 'Elijah was a prophet who was much annoyed by rude children. He said, if you annoy me I will let loose my bear on you and it will devour you. They did, and he did, and it did.'"

On the birthday of the King of Italy, the Duke reviewed the troops in Rome and a speech to the people was called upon the people to rally around the flag. The King cut his own cake.

Knit and Purl Your Way to Style

Household Knitting by Alice Brooks

The car to watch is the car behind the car in front of you.

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Pattern 5502

"Lovely," they'll say, when you wear this charming sweater-blouse. Easy as ABC to make, the pretty shape is just plain knitting. The collar, sleeves and collar are a simple stitch in bulky effect, an effective contrast. Sleeves may be long or short. You can have a two-piece dress if you make the plain knitted skirt that comes with it.

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Says A Shorter Route To Bay Would Be Solution For Any Lack Of Traffic

A railroad running almost due north from Winnipeg, cutting 335 miles off the journey to the south to Churchill, is the answer to lack of traffic over the Hudson Bay route, in the opinion of one of the first projectors of western Canada's short cuts to Europe.

The proposed route, as envisioned by H. L. Macdonald, vice-president of the On-to-the-Bay Association, would provide a direct outlet for agricultural Manitoba, cutting to 663 miles the present 998-mile rail haul from Winnipeg to Manitoba's seaport.

Work would be given thousands of men and a vast area of valuable lands opened up.

The requirements of 16,000,000 people in eight states south of the international boundary would create a tremendous volume of incoming freight, he believes, traffic not now available to the Hudson Bay route.

Only eight vessels docked at Churchill in 1933. They carried to Europe 2,402,000 bushels of wheat. Last year, 15 boats put in, clearing the waters of the Hudson Bay.

Head of cattle, 2,000,000 feet of lumber and other goods. Varied cargoes were brought in. Only one steamer docked with cargo year.

First talked of three years ago, the proposed 362-mile road could be built by the Hudson Bay Development Co. at a cost of \$8,000,000, Mr. Layet said. It would run on the east side of Lake Winnipeg to Gillam, 183 miles from Churchill, and at present a divisional point on the Hudson Bay railway.

The road would cut through undeveloped mining and timber lands, country where hydro-electric power exists abound. Mr. Layet foresaw profit pouring into the province to develop the area. When the road is completed, the workers could settle nearby, assured of markets easy of access.

He visualized Gillam as the Pittsburg of Canada, from which steel would be shipped to all parts of the Dominion. Within reach are billions of tons of iron ore. Nearby is a large oil field, unused, to operate the giant meters which Mr. Layet believes some day will be built.

Government surveys have shown great stores of oil in the north. The Belcher islands on the east side of Hudson Bay. This could be brought by rail and a line to Churchill.

Some day—not too far distant, he thinks—Gillam will be a great industrial city, the metropolis of the north.

Netherlands' Queen Wealthy

Has Had London Reign Of Any Sovereign

Queen Wilhelmina of the Netherlands, a recent birthday celebrant, is the richest woman in the world.

(In length of reign) but one of the wealthiest women as well. Now at 55 she is a widow and the mother of six children.

She is a pious Calvinist, dignified and Victorian in her tastes. Fashion interests her not a bit, and life in her palaces is sober and almost frugal despite the fact she has an income of at least five million dollars.

Lake most Dutch people she is serious, sane, careful, wise and hard working. She examines every state paper and is said to read every scientific book of importance dealing with her kingdom.

She enjoys sketching in the country and frequently bicycles with her daughter, Princess Juliana, whose life is considerably restricted by her mother's wishes.

Queen Wilhelmina ascended the throne in 1898 when she was 18 and in 1901 married Duke Henry of Mecklenburg-Schwerin.

Eight years later the prince was born and last year Prince Henry died.

New Thrill For Soundstages

Two Alaskan soundstages who took the hardships of the northland in stride thrilled to the sight of the city in Seattle after 24 years' absence.

Frank Spillack, jittery at using a telephone and other "new-fangled gadgets," expressed doubt he could get his "yard," Pete Meisk, to return to the Yukon. "No, it's not all the new gadgets I like. I've never seen a portable home before."

Electric devices for modern plumbing, including a water pump, a gas heater, a sprayer, water system, burglar alarms, and brooders.

Triplane mills of South Wales may be moved to England.

Wages War Against Insects

Dominion Entomologist Continually Fighting World's Most Costly Enemy

Dr. Arthur Gibson, L.L.D., of Ottawa, has spent the last 35 years fighting a war to the finish with the world's most costly enemy. With some 65 officers in his "army," he is attempting to hold back a force that damages Canadian property to the extent of \$150,000,000 every year.

Dr. Gibson is the Dominion entomologist, the man who is against insects.

He is 60 years old, tall and thin, and remarkably happy for a man who has 300 separate specimens of insects in his collection.

But insects in themselves never worried him. In fact, ever since boyhood he has loved them, and if it were not for their billion-dollar destruction habits he would probably be content to study them in the many glass cases that decorate his office.

As if a daughter who is her father's life, he asks and gives no quarter.

Insect pests, according to Dr. Gibson, would destroy mankind in less than a year if scientists related in their battle. Even now, when governments are spending millions of dollars annually, the insects succeed in destroying more than 10 per cent. of all foodstuffs grown—Toronto Star Weekly.

Fur Caps Were Scarce

Air Pilot Could Not Find One In Vancouver

When Pilot L. F. Barr, owner of an air express company at Atlin, B.C., stopped at Vancouver on route home, he tried unsuccessfully for four hours to find a fur cap to augment his equipment for the north country.

He failed to find anything remotely suitable, however, although one firm offered to manufacture one for \$40 and he left feeling that Vancouver may boast at least of its mild winters.

London Is Friendly City

London is a gold mine of friendship, says G. Noel Eden, Secretary of the International Friendship League, who declares the metropolis is becoming the most hospitable city in the world to young people.

German experts have successfully used coal, either in liquid or powdered form, as a plant fertilizer. Orchids are benefited by it.

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Woe Outlived

Puritan Of 1629 Branded Christmas Spirit As Pagan

The Christmas spirit was traced back in history and identified as a non-Christian enemy.

Branded a pagan outlaw, it was banished from New England by the Puritans in 1629.

Yule party and feasting so irked those solemn pillars of the church, declared Prof. William Warren Sweet, University of Chicago church historian, that they passed a law in the general court of the Colony of Massachusetts saying:

"Whoever shall be found observing any such day as Christmas or the like, either for forbearing of labor, feasting, or any such way, as a festival, shall be fined five shillings."

America's robin redbreast is really a migratory thrush.

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WORLD HAPPENINGS
BRIEFLY TOLD

A medical device for inducing artificial fevers was reported responsible for short-wave radio interference throughout North America and in some parts of Europe.

Air France, the French international flying company, announced it will open a regular weekly service between France and South America this month.

James T. Howley, of St. John's, an engineering graduate of the Nova Scotia technical college at Halifax, was named 1935 Rhodes scholar for Newfoundland.

The city of Quetta, destroyed by earthquake last May, will be rebuilt on the same site as far as possible, the Indian government announced. The cost is estimated at \$30,000,000.

Official notification was mailed to all municipalities in Ontario advising that the provincial government will tax incomes after and after Jan. 1. The letter is signed by Welfare Minister Croll.

President Roosevelt announced he was calling a North American wild life conference to meet in Washington, February 3 to 7 to work out a program for conservation of wild life resources.

Permission for Leon Trotsky, exiled Bolshevik leader, to visit the Soviet Union has been extended until June 18, 1936, in addition to six months to the original visa granted him upon his departure from France last summer.

Henry Pidgeon of Los Angeles, 60-year-old "berm of the seas," reached Dublin Bay, Dec. 29, after a 10-day yawl after sailing alone half way around the world. He left Los Angeles in August, 1934, heading across the Pacific.

The executive committee of the National Union of Scotland, representing \$7,000,000 in assets, has decided by the miners' Federation of Great Britain calling for a nation-wide strike unless demands for a wage increase are granted.

New Palestine Council

Government Issues Statement Giving Commissioner Wide Powers

The government at Jerusalem issued an official communique proclaiming the establishment of a legislative council, and the appointment of Sir Arthur Grenfell Wauchop, high commissioner for Palestine, with wide veto powers over the new assembly.

The communique stated that any section of the Palestinian population refuses to participate in the elections of members of the council, the high commissioner is empowered to nominate British officials or other representatives to sit on the council.

This clause was considered of unusual significance in view of the rejection by Jewish leaders of the government's proposals, and a new statement by Dr. Chaim Weizmann, president of the World Zionist Organization and the Jewish Agency for Palestine, that the Jewish community would not participate in the establishment of the legislative council.

New Ship Being Tested

To Determine Whether New Metal Is Equal To Steel

The Alutmette, experimental ship "Pragmat" built of aluminum alloy and launched at Bath, Maine, left port on its first trip—by rail.

The cross-section of a ship consigned to the experimental division of the Aluminum Company of America at Newport News, Va. The chief purpose of tests planned there was to determine if the weight-saving metal would resist corrosion as well as steel.

The craft's sponsors believe that if the tests are successful, the use of the metal as a hull material would revolutionize shipbuilding and bring a new speed era to the sea.

Common Remembrance

Britain And Germany Agree On Maintenance Of War Graves

The agreement signed at Berlin calling for common remembrance of the war dead by the former belligerent countries in the Great War provides that the 6,500 British dead in Germany shall for all time be left to rest there.

These graves will be maintained by British personnel in accordance with British principles. Similar arrangements are made for German graves in French and British soil.

"Johnny," said the minister, "every time I hear you swear a cold chisel runs down my back."

"Gee," said Johnny, "if you had been at my house the other day when I caught his nose in the clothes winger, you'd have froze to death."

A Vast Building Scheme

Public Employment Planned By Several English Towns

With the development of fast automobiles and paved highways and the inauguration of fast express trains between London and the coast, business men think nothing now of making their homes 25 to 30 miles from the city and commuting to and from every day, making the journey at about the same time as they used to do when they lived in suburban London and took an hour to reach their offices and workshops.

Working on the Sussex coast is 60 miles from London and is the centre of a cluster of small towns on the Channel. In recent years the populations of these places have grown at a tremendous rate, working alone adding 3,000 a year, and within the last six months 1,000 new homes have been completed. The result is these places have co-operated to embark upon one of the most gigantic schemes of public development ever devised.

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The project will provide work for 2,000 men in the next 25 years, besides giving employment to thousands of other workers in the building supply lines in other parts of the country.—St. Thomas Times-Journal.

Sacrificed His Job

Young Man Figured Other Applicant Needed It More

The following article by Leonard Lyons, appeared in the New York Post: Few, except the Employment Service, know Spencer Hare. After a three-year search for employment, Spencer Hare, 28, gave up his job with Radio Publicity Service. Many had applied, but only two survived the elimination stage. There Hare was selected. The other applicant was a young man, too. He married; the other man told Hare, "And if I get this job, I—Gee—we're gonna to be a happy couple. Spencer phoned the man who had been his new boss. "I don't want the job," he said. "Just give a better offer. Give it to the other guy. It was a gallant gesture—especially since the lady who was engaged for three years to Spencer Hare had broken the troth the week before, because he couldn't find employment."

Expel Soviet Members

Joseph Stalin To Get Rid Of Ten Per Cent

Joseph Stalin and other leaders of the Communist party of the Soviet Union have agreed to expel 10 per cent of the party membership, it was announced at Moscow.

Previously the party, explained most of the members being expelled were formerly in the armies of the United States who fought the Bolsheviks in the civil war 1920-22. Adherents of Admiral Kolchak, who set up a counter-revolutionary regime in central Siberia at that time, form an especially large proportion of the members affected by the expulsion order.

Kiroff was assassinated, not by a "White Guard," as was reported at the time, but by a young member of the Communist party. This act was followed by the execution of more than 100 men who were held on various charges in Soviet prisons. A new "party purge" was then ordered.

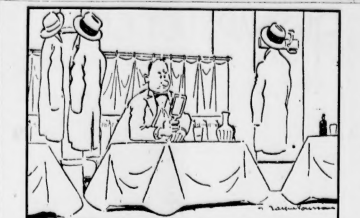
Seed Testing

Many Saskatchewan farmers are sending samples of their seed grain to the Dominion Seed Branch at Saskatoon for testing. Because of the large number of samples being received at the seed laboratory the results of a germination test cannot be expected for at least a month after the samples have been mailed.

Origin Of Term Carat

Carat derives its name from quartz, which in Arabic signifies the pool of water in the city of Assis, the name of which from time immemorial has been used in the weighing gold, because it never varies in weight when they are dry.

Water drunk immediately after the eating of candy and other dry sugars is an aid to digestion, according to recent tests.



—Le Journal, Paris

Overcoming Obstacles

Creating Nation-Wide Demand For New Product By Advertising

The English Channel was too wide for Napoleon to cross. All he could do was to stand on the French coast and look through a telescope at the white cliffs of Dover.

Today the Channel was a three-hour journey by sailing-ship, with a good wind.

Then came the fast steamships that crossed in an hour.

Today the aeroplane flash across in 10 or 12 minutes. The aeroplane pilots never speak of the "Channel." They call it the "Ditch."

So, there are many obstacles to the business world that have shrunk since efficiency became known.

It is now possible, for instance, to create a nation-wide demand for a new product in one day, through the use of advertising—Efficiency Magazine.

German Air Route

To Inaugurate Mail Service Via Azores And Bermuda

Latest to announce plans for North Atlantic airmail and passenger service in 1936 is the German Lufthansa Company, which declared a regular service would be inaugurated via the Lisbon-Azores-Bermuda route.

Germany's bid for passenger travel will be made on the new Zeppelin LZ 129 and her sister, still under construction, the LZ 130. First trials of the LZ 129 will be held next month.

"Although the southern route, as planned for the Lufthansa mail planes, is 1,875 miles longer than the Ireland-Newfoundland route, the weather conditions are more favorable and it has the advantage of possessing natural landing points in the Azores and Bermuda.

Instead of using huge seaplanes, Lufthansa will rely on small and very swift planes, refueled at various points en route at anchor.

Milk Wars A Success

Milk bars have proved so successful in Scotland that several large firms in Glasgow, Edinburgh, and Aberdeen are planning to develop chains of bars. Both hot and cold beverage drinks are to be prepared.

A physician has found a way to capture ultra-violet rays in vaseline, which he claims increases the jelly's healing properties.

Philadelphia permits Sunday movies now. If that city gets any wicked, its inhabitants will never have to go to New York at all.

Dress Up In Crocheted Neckwear



Make one frock coat line like this as many daintily crocheted collars and a pair of lovely cuffs. The collar and cuff set, at top, requires just a bit of white or tinted cotton or organdie, set off by a border of crocheted material. Picture a second change using the lace scarf which, done in cotton, evokes the well-known knot stitch, with a pretty fan-like design for its ends.

Equally simple is the collar with pretty bow and square collar back in cotton—it's what a tailored neck needs for that light, feminine touch.

In pattern 5288 you will find complete instructions for making the collars, scarf, and cuff suggestions.

To obtain this pattern send 20 cents in stamps or coin (prepaid) to Household Arts Dept., Winthrop Newspaper Co., 375 McDermott Ave. E., Winnipeg.

There is an Alice Brooks pattern book published

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

JANUARY 5

A MOTHER'S SONG

Golden text: My soul doth magnify the Lord, And my spirit hath rejoiced in God my Saviour. Luke 1:46, 47.

Devotional reading: Luke 1:68-70.

Explanations and Comments

The Magnificat, Luke 1:46-55. This song of Mary, the mother of Jesus, is called the Magnificat from the first word in the Latin version, meaning "do." It is a hymn of praise to God, and it is one of the most beautiful in the Bible.

And Mary said: "thus the poem begins. What follows is not so much addressed to Elisabeth nor to God; it voices rather meditation upon the mercy and favor of God to Mary herself and then to all Israel. As is usually remarked, the verses form a perfect mosaic of Old Testament quotations. Notice the Hebrew parallelism in the first two lines—the same thought repeated in slightly different language.

"For he hath looked upon the low estate of his handmaid." Mary was in very humble circumstances. "We may be sure she was pure-minded, self-controlled, and as she was the pure and perfect pattern of a woman, she was not likely to be intimately into her keeping. God does not choose his instruments at random for he has great tastes in his souls. He does not command careless men to do his work, but men of most delicate work." (J. M. E. Ross)

"For behold, from henceforth all generations shall call me blessed." Here we shall hear Simon and his brethren, "Ye, a sword shall pierce, that your own soul may be divided." Jesus, though blessed above all, was destined to become a sorrowful mother indeed. We cannot imagine the tragic sorrow which must have pierced her heart, as she stood before the cross on Calvary, not only for her own sake, but for the joy as she realized that she had given to the world such a life and such a Spirit as his was. It is not told anywhere that this sorrowing mother was distressed of the lot that she was to bear, or ever wished to change anything in her way, and her own world. Life's highest joys and satisfactions come to us in strange and unexpected ways, and we are often through trial from burdens and care.

SELECTED RECIPES

OAT COOKIES

Temperature: 375 degree F. Time: 15 minutes.

1 cup shortening
1 cup brown sugar
1 cup "brown sugar" Corn Syrup
2 eggs
2 cups oatmeal

1 1/2 cups flour
2 teaspoons baking powder
1/2 teaspoon salt
1 teaspoon cinnamon
1 cup small raisins
1/2 cup milk

Cream the shortening; gradually add sugar and "brown sugar" Corn Syrup; beat well. Add unbeaten eggs, one at a time, mixing until no trace of white is visible; now stir in the raisins.

Beat the flour, baking powder, salt, and cinnamon in the raisins. Add to the first mixture, stirring thoroughly with active spoon. This should make a stiff dough.

Drop by spoonful on a cookie sheet oiled with butter. Bake in a preheated oven. Note: Mocha will make the under surface of all cookies crisp and "crunchy."

Canada Leads The World In Building Industry Gains In 1935

Canada led the world in improvement in the building industry during the first 10 months of 1935, as compared with the corresponding period of 1934, according to the monthly statistical bulletin of the League of Nations.

Canada's increase was 51 per cent. Australia, with a 50 per cent. increase, and the United States, with an increase of 45 per cent. The United Kingdom's increase was 17 per cent.

The bulletin showed general improvement in other industries as well as building. Industries with active work in Canada increased nine per cent over the same 1934 period.

The leading increase was shown by Russia, 20 per cent. Italy followed with 19 per cent. The United Kingdom figure was seven per cent.

Man Of His Word

A Scotsman from the remote Highland district of Skye, who visited London during the Christmas holidays, arriving at Roatan the first words he heard were: "Taxi, sir."

"Donald said his head. After exploring London the Scot proceeded to Bristol. Emerging from the station he heard the familiar hail, "Taxi, sir?"

The Scot became annoyed. "No, thank you," he answered. "I said 'No' in London, and I meant it. Now stop following me about."

Blood is used to make some types of unbreakable buttons.

After Long Sleep

Awakened From a Forty-year Sleep

Victor Cleave of Folkestone, Eng., said he and his family would celebrate what his friends call his "coming back from the dead."

Cleave, a railway employee, who was suffering from shell shock, became unconscious in 1895, and he remained in that state for 40 years.

Then he fell asleep. Doctors, unable to rouse him, had to inject nourishment into his body.

Waking recently, Cleave did not recognize his own children.

"I had no dreams, no thoughts, no feelings," he explained. "The four years have been no more than a blank in my life."

He has returned to his cottage home, after long confinement in a hospital.

Foot Quicker Than Eye

One Explanation Of Secret Of Hindu "Firewalkers"

"The foot is quicker than the eye," was suggested as the secret of the Hindu "firewalkers' art."

Long explains that Oriental "men of faith" can walk over red coals without burning their feet. Dr. R. H. Platt-Schwartz, of Rochester, N. Y., said in a letter to the Journal of the American Medical Association, Chicago. The letter referred to the expert of a Hindu named Koda Kus who performed in London, Eng., and invited physicians to watch him.

He had surprised the physicians most was that a piece of cotton plaster put under the arch of Koda Kus's foot was not scorched.

To Doctor Schwartz this seemed a feat. He had studied the human gait for a number of years, he said, and records of 2,000 individuals showed the feet of the average person walking on a smooth surface, the interval of the body for only 65 of a second between the time the foot and the heel touch the ground.

He said that the foot bears the weight only 60 of a second and that there may be no interval of time between the foot and the heel (or sole) of the foot is bearing weight.

Dr. Platt-Schwartz said it was "reasonable to believe" the trained fire-walker elevates the heel and arch of his foot, "assuming the position of a dancer or as when one is sprouting."

"It seems reasonably possible that the fire-walker, in the interval in which this particular individual brought his feet in contact with the red embers was not such as to produce any burning effect."

"It should be remembered also that Koda Kus was highly trained in this particular. His reactions were correspondingly suited to prevailing conditions."

A Money King

Wealthy Indian Prince To Celebrate Silver Jubilee

Croesus of the world's money kings, the Nizam of Hyderabad expects to celebrate his silver jubilee on the 25th of this month.

As premier price of India and according to the ancient tradition of the Nizam, his subjects must feed the poor on festive occasions. So he has ordered that 1,000 oxen and 10,000 sheep be slaughtered and roasted for the jubilee.

The Nizam has 50 marble palaces, and on state occasions rides in a coach of solid gold. But for private use he prefers a vehicle of 1927 vintage.

His life is almost as simple as simplicity. As Sir Akbar Hydari, minister of finance, "He has no meaning for him, although he knows how to spend."

The Nizam, who rules over 14,000 subjects, has an income estimated at \$2,500,000 to \$3,000,000 a year, and in his underground vaults in "Midras dungeons" deep below his palace, he reportedly has \$100,000,000 in gold bars, diamonds, and an additional \$2,000,000,000 worth of precious stones, mostly diamonds and rubies.

Victim Of Science

Dr. William G. Kraus, 74, one of the first physicians in the southern United States to foresee the importance of the x-ray in the field of medicine and surgery, is dead, at Memphis, Tenn., a victim of the science which he pioneered. He died of a cancer resulting from x-ray destruction of tissue of his left hand.

If you sit down as soon as the cold weather arrives and hope for spring, you are not as young as you used to be.

A May Bird's adult life lasts only from evening to dawn.

ITALY SAID TO BE INCREASING HER NAVAL STRENGTH

Rome.—In a move interpreted in some quarters as designed to prepare for possible "events" should an oil embargo be imposed against her, Italy was reported to be strengthening her navy.

Reliable sources said it was understood about 15,000 naval specialists had been recruited for service. Most of them were said to have served formerly in the gun or powder rooms of Italian ships.

Some quarters believed the move might also have resulted from British diplomatic steps to assure support from Mediterranean powers for the British navy, should it be attacked in the course of sanctions imposition. Premier Mussolini will reject any new proposal for peace in Ethiopia based on the Hoare-Laval plan or the ideas of the League of Nations committee of five, the official newspaper Giornale D'Italia predicted.

Announcing that Italy's demands in Ethiopia were greater "and will remain greater"—than any offer yet made by the powers, the newspaper charged editorially that Britain regarded existing treaties concerning Ethiopia as "the traditional scrap of paper."

The house of commons speech by Sir Samuel Cunliffe "clearly showed the inconsistency of the Anglo-French peace plan," the paper declared, asserting that the Anglo-Italian treaty of 1906 and the Franco-British treaty of 1925, both registered with the League of Nations, granted to Italy much greater rights in Ethiopia than did the Hoare-Laval proposal.

Fatal Plane Crash

Kenneth Nests Killed in Accident Near Eastland

Eastland, Sask.—A plane, which he built himself, carried Kenneth O. Nests, 24-year-old Tompkins machine shop employee, to death in a field near the farm home of S. O. Bengtson, some 10 miles north of here, as he circled for a landing. It was believed a wing had dropped off the machine.

The plane, as it struck the ground, burst into flames, but Mr. Bengtson and Allan Primrose, 25-year-old hired hand, managed to get to safety in the machine. Nests, when the two men reached the plane, was dead.

Bengtson and Primrose managed to escape unharmed as they carried the body from the burning machine.

Nests, whose family lives at Stayer Hall, just off the main street, had been down from Tompkins to the home of his parents to spend Christmas with them. It was the first long flight he had made with the plane, which he had built in the last three years in spare time. He had made other flights, however, in recent months.

Day after Christmas Nests was going to drop in at the Bengtson home for dinner on New Year's Eve. Tompkins. He was circling a field near the residence when his machine crashed and burst into flames.

Fatal Gun Accident

George F. Chipman Of Winnipeg Is Accidentally Shot

Winnipeg.—George F. Chipman, 54, managing director of the Country Guide, was shot to death accidentally in waging war against rabbits on his farm at Charleswood, Man., 10 miles west of here.

With Smith Smith, an employee on his farm, Mr. Chipman was shooting rabbits that had been attacking his trees and shrubs on his farm where he conducted many plant experiments. The shooting party was one of many he had undertaken to rid his property of the pests.

Going through bushes, he stumbled and fell. His shotgun discharged and the shot entered his head. Death was almost instantaneous. The body was removed to Winnipeg and it is not expected that an inquest will be held.

A journalist for 25 years, active in farm organizations and a breeder of plants and fruits with an international reputation, Mr. Chipman was one of the most prominent men in farm activities in Western Canada.

Ordered To Take Rest

Zurich.—Sir Samuel Hoare, former British foreign secretary, and Lady Maude Hoare arrived here by aeroplane from London. Sir Samuel had been ordered to take a rest by his physician and will remain in Switzerland until his health is better.

Loan Not For Public

Banks Will Purchase \$10,000,000 Issue Offered By Canada

Ottawa.—Finance Minister Dunning filed with the securities and exchange commission of the United States government a registration statement in connection with the issue and sale in the United States of \$10,000,000 Dominion of Canada two per cent. three-year notes. It was proposed to make the issue to a group of American and Canadian banks headed by the Chase National Bank of New York.

No public offering is to be made at this time as the government is advised the banks were purchasing the notes solely for investment for their own account. The notes will be sold at a price to the government of 99.75, to yield approximately 2.09 per cent.

The issue is being made to reinforce short term borrowings made in November and September 1 and December 1 in connection with the preemption of \$23,740,000 Grand Railway Company of Canada 20-year seven per cent. bonds due October 1, 1920, due October 1, 1940, and \$23,770,000 Canadian North Railway Company 30-year seven per cent. bonds due December 1, 1920, due December 1, 1940.

The annual saving in interest as a result of the redemption of the seven per cent. bonds will amount to over \$2,000,000.

Russia Increases Navy

Gives Warning To Germany And Japan Through The Press

Moscow.—The Soviet union, in a thinly disguised warning to Germany and Japan, announced through the press that its submarine and destroyer fleets have been practically quadrupled during the last four years. A statement printed in the government newspaper, Izvestia, said in addition that the coastguard fleet had increased 110 per cent., but gave no figures bearing on the actual strength of any naval unit.

The whole statement bristled with emphasis. Russia's undersea power in the Pacific and Baltic and appeared to force observers to be particularly significant, coming, as it did, on the heels of the alleged threat by Japan and Manchukuo to invade outer Mongolia.

London.—The Soviet Union and the Baltic states, it was learned on reliable authority, have asked Great Britain to defend its attitude toward possible control of the Baltic sea by Germany.

Reports of the enquiry from the U.S.A. and neighboring northern states spread among delegates to the five-power naval conference. The step was believed to have been taken in relation to the party now adjourned until next month.

State Controlled Mines

Far-Reaching Project Hailed With Delight By British Miners

London.—A far-reaching project to permit the state purchase of coal mining royalties is being hailed triumphantly by Socialists.

The measure is calculated by its proponents to free miners from the yoke of private ownership which has restricted them to an average wage of \$11 a week.

Sir Thomas Inskip, attorney-general, announced the government plans to buy out the owners of mining royalties.

"It means the purchase of these royalties by the state and therefore their control by the state," he told the House of Commons.

"It will involve a change of ownership and directly from 6,000 private owners to single public ownership, controlled by the state in the interest of the community."

Jubilant cries of "This is Socialism!" This means the nationalization of England!" swelled from the Socialist benches in parliament when Sir Thomas made the announcement.

But whatever it meant politically, it is a stunning blow for the coal masters of the realm whose great hereditary fortunes are founded on mine royalties.

To Develop Tar Sands

Alberta Government Likely To Go Ahead With Plans

Calgary.—Development of northern Alberta tar sands and contiguous resources, as planned by the provincial government, would undoubtedly go ahead, Hon. C. C. Ross, provincial minister of mines, stated in an interview here.

As soon as a definite statement could be made, the government would make one, he added.

Escaped From Burning Plane

Pilot Made Safe Landing And Rescued Unconscious Passenger

Kemora, Ont.—How an aeroplane caught fire 1,500 feet in the air, an unconscious passenger being dragged to safety after the pilot had desperately "side-slipped" to a landing on a small frozen lake, was told here.

Pilot Charles Robinson took off from Red Lake, 120 miles north of here, with Gus Johnson, a miner, as a passenger. Over a mile, unidentified lake, smoke entered the passenger cabin and Johnson attracted the attention of Robinson, who immediately began to sidestep the plane to safety.

As the machine was going down, flames burst through into the cabin and Johnson pushed his club bag containing his clothes into the hole made by the flames. Then he bag caught fire and Johnson was overcome by smoke.

Robinson made a hurried landing and, opening the door of the cabin, found his passenger unconscious. He dragged the helpless man to safety. Meanwhile, the plane was burning rapidly, and was totally destroyed within a short time. Both men made their way here.

CANADA'S WHEAT SUPPLY ON HAND IS STILL HEAVY

Winnipeg.—The Canadian wheat board estimated the amount of Canadian wheat available for export as at Dec. 14, at 290,373,703 bushels.

In a survey of the general wheat situation, the board pointed out heavy exports of wheat each week from now until the end of the crop year would be necessary to reduce the carryover to normal.

The carryover of old crop wheat at July 31, was 215,000,000 bushels, which, combined with the new crop from the whole Dominion, makes a total of 488,000,000 bushels.

From this figure 115,000,000 bushels was deducted in the wheat board's survey for home requirements, leaving, as at July 31, an exportable surplus of 373,000,000 bushels.

From August 1 to December 14 the board estimated the amount of wheat including sales to the United States was \$8,626,287 bushels, leaving at the latter date, 290,373,703 bushels on hand.

Shipment of 4,000,000 bushels weekly in the last 32 weeks of the crop year would reduce this total by 128,000,000 bushels and would leave a carryover of 162,373,703 bushels on Aug. 1, 1936.

Railway Competition

Would Enact Uniform Legislation Governing Operation Of Trucks

Ottawa.—Railways Minister Howe said he had directed the railway commission would not be appointed by the Dominion government to investigate the use of public highways by trucks and buses. He has been considering the proposal some time.

His statement was endeavoring to have the various provincial governments enact uniform legislation governing the operation of buses and trucks to meet the problem of their competition with Canadian railways.

MASTERPIECE DISCOVERED UNDER LAYER OF DUST



A totally unknown Van Dyck, worth many thousands of dollars, has just been discovered and will be shown to the London public shortly. The picture was one of Van Dyck's comparatively rare religious canvases. It shows the Flight into Egypt, and was found in a north-country mansion, its owners unaware of its value and its beauties hidden by a thick layer of dust. Since it has been cleaned its brilliant colors are resplendent as if new.

SEES WAR CLOUDS

Ion. G. Howard Ferguson, who has just returned to Canada, after serving in London as Canada's High Commissioner, sees a serious threat of war in Europe. "Too many nations in Europe are firm believers in the doctrine of force," he said.

No Dum-Dum Bullets

Ethiopian Government Denies Report Spread By Italy

Genève.—The Ethiopian government formally accused Italy of spreading reports concerning the use of dum-dum bullets by Ethiopians to justify "future Italian outrages."

The Italian Ethiopian government denies in the most categorical fashion falsehoods spread by the Italian press concerning use of dum-dum bullets, a statement sent to the League of Nations asserted. "It considers the report fabricated to justify future Italian outrages."

"Ethiopia manufactures no arms or ammunition. They are all brought in from outside and are subjected to rigorous inspection before they reach here."

Seven League Boots

Fritz Hansson's Footgear Brings Happiness To Children

Winnipeg.—Fritz Hansson's boots provided 375 unfortunate children with a merry Christmas.

Fritz, whose boots when he raced 375 yards for the final Winnipeg touch-down when the Manitoba defeated Hamilton Tigers 18-12 to win the Dominion rugby football championship.

Then Fritz autographed the boots and presented them to the Winnipeg Tribune empire stocking fund. The Tribune put them up for auction and the highest bid of \$125 came from John T. Byles, of Winnipeg.

And when Fritz learned 375 children would be made happy he had a merrier Christmas, too.

Christmas Messages

Greetings Exchanged Between King George And Lord Tweedsmuir

Ottawa.—Christmas messages were exchanged between King George and the Governor-General of Canada, Lord Tweedsmuir, cabled to His Majesty at Sandringham, England.

"My humble duty to your majesty's subjects in Canada, I send our respectful greetings for Christmas and the New Year."

Lord Tweedsmuir received the following reply in Ottawa: "I thank you sincerely for your message and much appreciate the good wishes of the people of Canada. I trust the new year will bring them happiness and prosperity." (Signed) George VI.



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The Dionne Christmas

Glass Window Separates Parents From Quintuplets

Callander, Ont.—Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Dionne said "Joyous Noel" to their quintuplet daughters by waving at them and talking through the glass window which confided their nursery at Dufur hospital.

While the quintuplets were hostesses to their five elder brothers and sisters and their parents at a Christmas party, the quintuplets were not allowed to have the family in their nursery because of the possibility that germs might be brought in.

The elder brothers and sisters and Mr. and Mrs. Dionne had dinner at the hospital but confided their greetings to the quintuplets to gestures and expressions the babies could hardly hear with a glass wall between them.

For all but the quintuplets there was "turkey and all the fixings" but the sisters, Annette, Cecile, Emilie, Marie and Yvonne stuck to their regular diet, with a special Christmas assortment of jelly topped with whipped cream.

Event of the day was the excursion of baby Cecile away from the nursery for the first time. At a moment when both nurses happened to be away, Cecile managed to open the door leading out to the corridor of the Dufur hospital and was all set to explore the world beyond when she was overtaken.

More Tourist Traffic

October Showed 157,028 More Than Same Month Last Year

Ottawa.—Tourist traffic during October recorded a substantial increase over the corresponding month last year, according to a report issued by the department of trade and commerce.

Visitors admitted to Canada during October numbered 1,182,643, an increase of 137,028 over Oct. 1934. In the seven months ended Oct. 31, tourists totalled 11,669,520, compared with 10,263,180 in the corresponding period last year.

KING GEORGE DELIVERS SPECIAL EMPIRE MESSAGE

London.—In a Christmas message to the empire, the king voiced his warm appreciation of the "spontaneous offerings of loyalty and may I say of love" which the celebration of his silver jubilee had evoked.

Speaking from Sandringham House in Norfolk, His Majesty said he had noted, in addition to respect for the "warm and generous remembrance of the man himself, who may God help him, has been placed upon it."

He spoke for five minutes in a clear, firm voice which was heard around the world in busy cities and in the remotest of the empire.

Listeners in London noticed with great satisfaction His Majesty's voice was strong. He only coughed once.

It was evident he was deeply moved when he spoke of the throne and of the man who had been placed upon it.

The king and members of the royal family spent Christmas Day at Sandringham House. After a family luncheon party, His Majesty walked alone into the room where the British Broadcasting Company had installed a golden microphone for his use. The queen and the rest of the royal party heard the speech through loudspeakers.

The people of the United Kingdom celebrated Christmas amid rain or snow and cloudy skies as a mellow, mellowed a severe cold spell. The temperature began to climb Tuesday, dropping snow and fog which had straggled the country for several days. It was mild in London and elsewhere.

The thaw led to traffic difficulties in many districts. Melting snow and icy roads made highways difficult to negotiate.

"It is good to think that our own family of peoples is at peace in Italy and united in one desire to be at peace with other nations—a friend of an enemy of no one," said the king.

He began to speak at 3 p.m. (8 a.m. M.S.T.).

"May the spirit of goodwill and mutual helpfulness grow and spread," His Majesty said. "Then it will bring to the blessing of peace but a solution of the economic troubles which still beset us."

He ended by conveying Christmas greetings to all the people of the empire from himself and from the queen and their children and grandchildren.

OTTAWA PLANS FOR OPENING OF NEW PARLIAMENT

Ottawa.—Plans for the first session of the new parliament are going forward rapidly with the permanent staffs of the various departments working on estimates, reports and orders, and the finance department busy with the budget. The opening date is expected to be Jan. 30.

A cabinet council is expected soon to place its approval on an exchange of notes with the Japanese government ending the six-month trade war between that country and Canada. First step will be agreement to abolish the prohibitive tariffs raised by both countries last September when the two governments came to a deadlock over Japan's demand that special protective tariffs be abolished.

Announcement of the date parliament will assemble and the government's selection of speakers for the opening of the session are expected to be made early in the year, if not before.

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Helping The Blind

Canadian National Institute Making Real Success Of Work.

The story of making blind citizens of Canada into assets instead of liabilities was unfolded at the annual meeting of the Canadian National Institute for the Blind, held recently at the National Office, 186 Beverley street, Toronto.

Commenting on the organization which had been built up with activities from Newfoundland to British Columbia, with factories working at capacity, and a commercial business exceeding into hundreds of dollars, Captain E. A. Baker, O.B.E., Managing Director, pointed out that the real success in the work of the institute lay in assisting the competent blind to maintain standards of living on a par with their more fortunate neighbors, and encouraging the youthful blind to face life with courage and hope.

Captain Baker referred to the effort to educate people so that no person in Canada shall lose their right through ignorance or carelessness. Regarding the question of pension, he reviewed the long and arduous negotiations which have been carried on over a long period, and announced: "All I can say is, the present time is that I am convinced, through the expressions of support which the proposed legislation received that parliament will not rise from its first session without considering some form of State aid for blind Canadians who are unemployed."

He mentioned the introduction of the Talking Book, which had totalled over 4,000 loans, although this feature had its beginning in Canada only last February. A generous supply of records for the library was anticipated soon from England. Of particular interest to blind readers was the announcement made by the managing director, stating that in a short time blind use of the sound film, a reel of 500 feet being capable of carrying an entire book.

L. M. Wood, president, made reference to the much-needed expansion of the National headquarters building accommodation, which is being erected at a cost of approximately \$40,000. Other reports presented showed that the blind workers of Ontario alone produced goods to the value of \$275,725.73 during the year 1937.

S. C. Swift, librarian, reported that a total of 33,865 Braille volumes had been borrowed during the year by 1,182 blind people in Canada. In connection with the program for the prevention of blindness, the institute dealt with 5,729 cases.

Sir Charles Lindsay, K.B.E. of Montreal, was elected honorary president. All other officers were re-elected.

New Title For Duchess

Ceremonial Use Of Royal Signature "Alice" Is Transferred

The royal marriage, on Nov. 6, between the King's third son, the Duke of Gloucester, and the Lady Alice Montagu-Douglas-Scott, has transferred ceremonial use of the royal signature "Alice" to her. In connection with this, the title of the late William de Morgan's famous 1907 novel, "Alice-for-short," attributed for court etiquette claim that the signature "Alice" has hitherto appertained to the Princess Alice Mary, Countess of Athlone, daughter of the late Duke of Albany, youngest son of Queen Victoria. It is understood that the Princess Alice will now sign herself as "Alice Mary."

Indians Command Respect

Have Many Virtues Which Men Does Not Know About

The average white man regards the Indians as if of no particular interest in the scheme of things, but if casual acquaintance with his character and outlook will create a respect for him. He knows a lot of things the white brother does not even suspect, and if he isn't well convinced that "civilization" as we know it, isn't 100 per cent perfect, perhaps he isn't to be blamed for that. He has many virtues, one of which is the courage to be himself.

Saul Ste. Marie Star.

Difference In The Call

Carl Todd is the champion golfer of the University of California, says the Associated Press. He won a recent contest in a very unexpected way. "Who-e-e, pig, pig, pig." Other contestants had plenty of range and volume, but called "So-o-o-e-e," which, to a pig, means "scare." Judge Professor W. H. Chandler explained.

The real home problem is to get enough gas in the tank to get away from it.

ITALIAN GENERAL HONORS FLIERS FOR BRAVERY IN ETHIOPIA



Here we see Marshal de Bono decorating Captain Count Clano, son-in-law of Signor Mussolini, for valor in the field of battle. This was the first award made by Italy to her soldiers in the war zone. The picture was taken at the big Italian aerodrome at Amara.

Advice To Poultrymen

Hen Need Well-Balanced Ration To Avoid Colds

Enquiries about the treatment of colds and roup are in order at this time of the year. The first advice is, "do not allow colds to get into the flocks." Few birds are so susceptible once they get a bad dose of roup.

W. M. Vernon, extension poultryman at Ames, Iowa, says poultrymen who put the right number of chickens in the laying house, provide comfortable housing conditions by proper ventilation, and feed their flocks abundantly on a well balanced ration seldom have to worry about colds or roup.

In case of an outbreak of cold, the poultryman may get some assistance if he will act promptly, consulting his local veterinarian as soon as some of the birds begin to sneeze or show watery discharges from the eye or nose.

Dr. Charles Murray of the Veterinary Division of the college says, "a simple cold or catarrh, if itself, is usually mild, but the danger lies in its being permitted to run unattended, in which case it is apt to develop into the more serious condition of roup."

Of roup, Dr. Murray says, "efforts spent on affected birds are of doubtful value, but extra care in management and nursing of non-affected members of the flock is well worthwhile."

Boost Wheat Sales

Cecil Lamont To Be Representative In England Of Grain Board

Appointment of Cecil Lamont, secretary of the Alberta Pacific Grain Company, as the Canadian wheat board's representative in Great Britain, was announced by James H. Murray, board chairman.

Mr. Lamont's duties will be to promote good-will among British millers and the United Kingdom grain trade generally, and in other ways aid in the sale of Canadian wheat in Great Britain.

It is understood he has been given leave of absence by the Alberta Pacific Company and has been loaned to the board for the time being.

He has had much experience in the grain trade and in publicity work.

Two million of the 5,000,000 slaves in the world-to-day are Chinese girls between 4 and 18.

Coloring Of Egg Yoke

Depends On Kind Of Feed Given To Hens

A hen can transfer different shades of yellow to the yolk—depending upon the kind of feed she receives. Substituting white corn for yellow corn and limiting the amount of green feed tends to produce light yellow yolks, according to the United States Department of Agriculture.

If the poultryman keeps his laying stock confined and uses little or no green feed, he must be careful to supply some other source of vitamin A when he uses white corn which contains almost none of this vitamin. He can do this by mixing a suitable quantity of cod liver oil with the yellow feed of scratch grain.

Yolks with richer shades of yellow may be obtained by increasing the quantity of yellow corn and green feed. Too much green feed tends to give the yolk a brown or green "off tint."

Small quantities of pimento or chili pepper, included in regular rations, give yolks a deep orange-red color.

Deplores Misuse Of Nouns

Appeal Made At Literary Luncheon To Save Adjectives

Hostesses who dedicated themselves recently to the task of reviving the art of conversation took to heart Lord Dunsany's appeal made at the literary luncheon at Grosvenor House, to save the English adjectives, says the London Daily Telegraph.

Many well-known women have revolted against the fashionable abuse of adjectives such as "definitely" and "absolutely." This distinguished writer deplored the misuse of nouns, which are taking the place of adjectives. He begged people to preserve "mysterium" and "luxuria" for posterity by introducing them in conversation, instead of speaking of "a mystery man" or "a luxury car."

Prize For Best Novel

The \$10,000 prize offered for the best first novel in the Pictorial Review-Doll Contest has been awarded to Margaret Flint of Bay St. Louis, Mississippi. It was announced at New York. She is a middle-aged woman, the wife of an engineer and the mother of six children. Several years ago the prize was won by Martha Ostenso with "Wild Geese."

Taking Care Of Machinery

Shelter Is As Necessary As Stables For Live Stock

Farm machinery requires suitable housing all the year round, if the overhead is to be kept in check all the time, in the exigencies of farming, this is not always an easy matter. In the absence of proper protection from the weather, rust and decay play havoc with the various parts, and careful farmers make it a rule to get their machines under cover as soon as possible after their work is done.

These farmers know that shelter for machinery is as necessary as stables for live stock.

Besides building inexpensive but efficient sheds for their machines, they make it a rule to inspect each machine, occasionally, to see that the bearings have been properly oiled, that the nuts are tight, and the working parts are in alignment and working smoothly. These precautions have saved money, prevented loss through delay, and obviated exasperation and worry.

The present-day machine worker really requires to be equipped with a force, an anvil, a stock of dies, a lathe, a grinder, and sets of hammers, wrenches, punches and chisels, not to mention a supply of stock repairs for replacement of parts.

The Toy Industry

Imports Exceeded The Million Dollar Mark This Season

Santa Claus is according to a report by the department of trade and commerce imports of dolls and toys in the 10 months ended Oct. 31 exceeded the \$1,000,000 mark for the first time since 1929, when the total was \$1,200,000.

Production of Canadian made toys indicated that the amount spent was greater than that of 1929. Exports of Canadian toys amounted to \$160,000 compared with \$85,724 in the 10-month period last year.

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A Traffic Mix-Up

Things happened when an automobile skidded into number at a busy intersection in Vancouver. One after the other, five other cars came round the corner and crashed into the first two, something of a record in Vancouver's traffic accident list.

Farmer Had Right Idea

Requested That Old Horse Would Not Be Sold

W. H. Colechuck contributed the following to the Stratford Beacon-Herald: "Don't sell the old mare boys," pleaded the dying farmer to his two sons who stood beside him as he gave them his final instructions.

The farmer died and in a few days his horse was set aside in the farmyard plot on the hill. A month later the 'boys,' who were men in their thirties, held an auction sale, where everything was sold except the old mare.

At the sale much interest was taken in the horse which the dying farmer had asked not to be sold, because she was a better animal than the average, and not so old, after all. The auctioneer said he could easily get a hundred dollars for her, and that it was silly not to turn her into cash, but the 'boys' were adamant. When the day was over the only thing not sold was the old mare.

A week later she was taken over to a neighbor, who promised to take care of her as long as she lived. There she may be seen to-day, sleek and fat, enjoying her last days in happiness and peace.

Working days over she has inherited what might be called a "well earned reputation" as a valuable animal.

Some would tell us that such action on the part of the dying farmer was just sickly sentimentality, and that the horse was common property of the neighbors. There are those who would sell an old horse for a five-dollar bill, knowing full well that the balance of his life would be of the greatest misery. Yet, there was something regal about the wish of the dying farmer, for it is such a thing to make for the finer and better things of life, and we wish we had more of them.

Illusions Are Precious

Help To Form Character And Make World Brighter

Up in London, Ont., a public school teacher was reported to have belittled Santa Claus in the presence of his pupils, whereupon the parents came out among parents and an administrator of the schools rebuked the teacher.

We like that. For among important and unpleasant people in the world are those cynical and terribly literal people who are never happy unless trying to destroy romance or pleasant illusions. Belief in Santa Claus, the spirit of Christmas is one of the loveliest things about childhood. To seek to uproot it, to destroy it, is as much to be precious as to destroy Christmas.

Let us attempt a poor thing, as poor a thing as effort to abolish fairy tales. As a greater English King, had he not attempted a poor thing, as poor a thing as effort to abolish fairy tales. As a greater English King, had he not attempted a poor thing, as poor a thing as effort to abolish fairy tales. As a greater English King, had he not attempted a poor thing, as poor a thing as effort to abolish fairy tales.

Meal Mixtures For Pigs

Should Be Changed At Intervals As They Grow

Pigs newly weaned and up to four months of age the following meal mixture is recommended by the animal husbandry division: Middlings, 3 parts; oats, 2 parts; shorts, 1 part; bran, 1 part. Three pounds of meal mixture should be fed at this stage.

The following meal mixture is recommended when the pigs are between four and five months old: Shorts, 2 parts; oats, 2 parts; barley, 1 1/2 parts; bran, 1 part. With one pound of this mixture feed two pounds of skim milk or buttermilk.

From the time the pigs are five months old and weigh about 150 pounds, up to market weight, they may be fed the following finishing ration: Shorts, one part; oats, two parts; barley, two parts. With one pound of this mixture feed one and one-half pounds of skim milk or buttermilk.

"Why does a red-headed woman always marry a meek man?" "She doesn't. He merely gets that way."

A new system of commercial dry cleaning petrolol as a solvent petrolol has been devised to eliminate explosion hazards.

A modern girl's hair may look like a mop, but that doesn't worry her. She doesn't know what a mop looks like?

Winter Scenes

Spashes Of Color In Shrubbery on Canadian Prairies

A famous adventurer of ancient Greece pointed out that people accumulate individual possessions from the color of the environment. Green is the color of comfort, quiet, and well-being; red stimulates, arouses, and excites; and blue indicates indicates mirth and gaiety; and likewise other colours produce their respective reactions.

Home surroundings on the Canadian prairies may be made to include striking spots of colour during every passing day of the season of dormant shrubbery. In fact, the planting may be arranged so as to make the home setting more individualistic in November, in January, and in March, than it is in May and July.

Greenery is supplied by the planting of the formal spruce and fir, with their charming conical outlines ranging in intensity from silvery blue green to a rich, vibrant blue green of Siberian fir to the dark, rather gloomy green, of some of the black spruce. Swiss Stone pine and Scotch pine, with their various and various junipers offer their own peculiar greens. In dwarf, the native Canadian yew are of the most delicate green and distinct.

Red is furnished by the fruits of such subjects as mountain-ash, hawthorn, buffaloberry, Siberian crab, hawthorn, hawthorn, and by the strikingly colorful bark on British willow, and the twigs of white birch and Amur maple, and also by the buds of pines and hemlock.

Spashes of yellow and gold are obtained from the fruit of Russian Sanderson, or Sea-buckthorn, that cluster so gaily on the slim branches in apparent contrast until late March, and from the bark of the Nordic Weeping willow and a number of other willows, and from Golden-weep dogwood.

Winter scenes of warmth, charm, and coziness are readily built into the landscape picture of the prairie home. Contrasts are available galore. Examples are the waxy white fruits of the snowberry and the purple-black hips of the Altal rose, and again the russet nut-brown, feathery branches of the Snow-garden spirea against the stiff, sturdy, cream branches and buds of bright red fruit of the penumbra viburnum.

A Puzzle Enthusiast

King George Is Interested In Jig Saw Variety

King George V. is a jig-saw puzzle enthusiast. At Balmoral this autumn puzzle was always laid out after dinner, and the King became quite an expert. The Queen in her Christmas shopping expeditions was in the habit of buying a puzzle for him and ordered a large one for Windsor Castle. Princess Elizabeth and Princess Margaret also purchased puzzles. The Duchess of York included two or three in her purchases from an excellent recent. She also purchased a puzzle for Princess Elizabeth, and easy farm yard pictures for her younger daughter. Princess Margaret also found a family of five velvet pigs in her stockings on Christmas morning.

Just A Backward Race

Absythians Not Barbaric People

Opinion Of Major Cheeseman: "Are the Abyssinians barbarians?" Major R. E. Cheeseman, H.M. Consul for N.W. Ethiopia, 1929-1934, will deliver a lecture in the Tabor Hall, Edinburgh, under the auspices of the Royal Scottish Geographical Society, Edinburgh Centre, said he was often asked that question. He hoped that from the lecture his hearers had gathered that they were not barbaric people. They were undoubtedly what was termed as a backward race, and there was in Abyssinia a great deal that might be improved, as the Abyssinians would be the first to admit. There was, however, nothing that could not be put right by themselves, given help and a little judicious pressure from time to time to quicken the pace—Edinburgh Scotsman.

Made An Exception

A clergyman about to board a bus was asked by one of the passengers who had had "one over the eight." Turning to the conductor the clergyman said "Do you allow drunken men on your bus conductors?" "Well," was the startling reply: "I don't see a rule, gov, nor just step in quietly."

Only a convict likes to be stopped in the middle of a sentence.

FRENCH ARMY SKIING TEAM PREPARE FOR OLYMPIC GAMES



The French Army skiing team which will compete in the Winter Olympic Games at Garmisch, Bavaria, early next year, is in training at Chamonic. Here we see members of the team training on the new Brevent course.

FLEMING'S
FOLLY—BY—
LAWRENCE KEATING

CHAPTER III.—Continued

A few drops from a new bottle of whisky brought her slowly around. Sheriff Stephen stood with Deputy Hantz and the prisoner, his expression grim. Doz was looking at Townsend, who still lay unconscious. "Sheriff, here's the bullet. It was a fender shot at such close range. Would have killed him sure, only it deflected from his belt buckle and used up some of the force. Got to leave him here a couple of hours, then move him to a bedroom."

"There's one right handy on this floor, Doc," Gaines offered.

"All right. We'll go now. Move the whole louse."

Eager hands grasped it and slowly walked the leather affair down a short corridor. Gaines led the way. When everything was arranged to the doctor's satisfaction he shoved them from the room.

Link walked slowly back to the lobby. Stephen beckoned to him with a long forefinger and a stern look.

"Hamilton stay with her face covered by both hands, weeping softly. Buz had the dazed look of a drunk suddenly sobered by the awful consequences of his act."

"Meant that shut you up, eh, Link?"

He hesitated. To admit this might mean a charge of attempted murder against young Hamilton. Hurriedly he sought some excuse, but he failed, and shook his head. "Oh, I guess it was just an accident, Sheriff."

"No, it wasn't no accident," Link the bull thing muttered from the side-walk. Any fool could tell you there was havin' wounds. Buz tried to kill you. Townsend stepped in and took the gun, trying to get Hamilton's gun. Yuh got a generous streak in yuh, but the sheriff ain't got no doubts, hardly, 'but I'll get Townsend's story so yuh ain't gonna hold water, savvy? Doc, is the boy going to live?"

Slater was replacing the instruments in his bag. "If it doesn't work, it's Hamilton's fault. I'm going to camp right here all night and tend Buster."

The Boone County lawman grunted. With a yank at Buz's manacles he started his prisoner out the door. Helen looked up, started to rise to go, but she was restrained by Sheriff Klgo. The next moment Stephen and Buz were gone.

"For a moment, Link, Fleming was not sure what he wanted to do. As he stood building a brown-paper cigarette with fingers that trembled, he met those of the girl. Link walked slowly toward her, trying to summon some comforting thing to say."

"It was Klgo who spoke first. 'Yuh shouldn't have bailed him. Link, I shan't be able to trouble right off. If he wasn't feeling right because he had too much liquor?' Helen inclined with scornful indifference, blushed in her voice. 'Who has he been drinking with? Who?' she inquired."

"Wall—recount him Jackpot Mel!"

Her angry gesture stopped him. Klgo stared down at his boots. "Gosh, I'm shore sorry this happened. Anyhow, it's lucky you got somebody you can depend on. Me, he's kind of like you—I mean, since I'm glad to sort of understand, and I waited two years for you to come back, why I guess it's up to me to help you out now. Maybe we better start for the spread, eh?"

The girl drew away the hand he held. In her manner there was coldness unmistakable, freezing to any friend but the obsolete Klgo. "Jackpot Mel is one of your closest friends. You claim to be a friend to Buz and me. You convinced Buz that it would be foolhardy to go into any irrigation scheme, yet he wrote me last week that you wanted to buy our nine hundred acres. If it is wasteland and you don't believe in irrigation, how is that?"

"I—I think you are responsible, some way, for this thing happening. You've continued in a voice she tried hard to make steady. "It's very plain, Mr. Klgo, that you have entirely too much influence over Buz. You could have stopped him just now but you weren't. Or rather, you egged him on. We all know he was drunk."

"Thank you," she summed up firmly. "It won't be necessary for you to come home. Good-night, Link."

During her speech the Box 50

owner simply looked at her in amazement, his mouth opening and closing stupidly. Roger flushed as she ended, and his jaw set with a click. "So Fleming's been fillin' yuh with a pack o' lies about me gettin' Buz drunk?"

"We haven't had time to discuss you or anyone else," Link stated. The other straightened aggressively. "No, but yuh been writtin' love letters when yuh know dang well Helen and me are—"

She stopped between the alternated faces. "There is no case for assuming that Mr. Klgo. Please go." He waited a moment longer as if undecided whether to refuse. The glint in the man's small, close-set eyes fixed upon Fleming was ominous and venomous. At last he turned his big bulk to start away, but paused.

"Fleming, here's the cause of all this. Buz never liked yuh, and I never liked yuh. That fool irrigation scheme is the craziest thing I've heard of in years. I offered to buy that nine hundred acres of the Triple H just to help out, but Buz and his hard up for cash. And another thing," he snapped angrily, "my private affairs with yuh aren't any of your business, savvy?"

He hesitated as if debating whether to return the blow. His expression was clear, however—that Link had come between him and Helen Hamilton. Finally, with a growl, Roger stamped to the lobby door and was gone outside.

"For the first time Fleming became aware that the night was fast descending as the November afternoon went into night. Far down the street but visible from where he stood in the lobby window, a knot of curious citizens loitered outside the small adobe jail. They were discussing, no doubt, the incarceration of Buz Hamilton."

Link went back to the bedroom and talked a moment in low tones to Dr. Slater. The practitioner promised to give Buster Townsend every care, and to remain at his patient's bedside all night. Link then went to the lobby, where he found Helen waiting for him. "I sure like to take you home if you don't mind. But if yuh'd rather wait, maybe yuh'd like to be alone, sort of."

She doubted her father with a mile of handkerchief and looking up at him, managed a brave, warm smile. "Thank you, Link. I'd be glad if you go with me. Shall we start now?"

CHAPTER IV.

The ride to the Triple H Ranch was uneventful. Driving the buckboard Buz had brought to town for his father, the baggage made little effort at conversation, feeling that Helen Hamilton preferred to be left to her thoughts. The night had happened to him, and his happiness of her homecoming. Almost before she had an opportunity to greet her brother, he became Klgo's prisoner for attempting to kill a man. If Buster Townsend succumbed to his wound, his father would be a murderer, although his fury had been directed at Fleming.

Link turned the equipage over to a wretched boy appeared, and made ready to mount his buckskin pony, which had been joggling behind the buckboard. They stood in a shaft of yellow light from one of the front windows of the ranch house. Some what awkwardly, he shook hands with the girl and turned to mount.

But she stayed him with a thoughtful question. "You are really serious about building an irrigation dam, aren't you? I mean, you'd try to water your own spread whether other ranchers go in with you or not?"

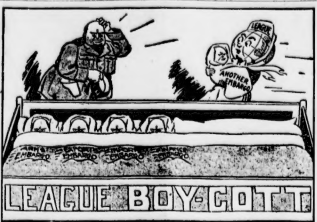
He nodded liberally. "Maybe everyone else is right on this, and I'm plumb foolish. But I believe in it. Helen, I've learned as much about irrigation as a layman can. Why, I know it'll work."

He grew reflective. "I was sure irrigation wouldn't pay here in the county. Soak don't really believe that, I'm positive. He's been almost as eager for it as I have. Spent a lot of time working those blueprints, and elatin' 'em'er enough to talk about it. Yesterday he was all for it. To-day he reverses himself. Somebody talked to Henry, bought him off. Or maybe threatened him. He shook his head. "Don't know who did it or how, but it sure worked. He seems to have disarmed Henry."

The girl said nothing for a moment as she gazed across the range bathed in early evening twilight toward the bulk of the Captain Mountains. "Buz didn't favor irrigation, ever, did he?"

"Oh, first time I mentioned it to him he was just stand-offish. Not right after that he got dead set against it. Why?"

She shook her head. "Who has



AND MORE TO COME

—South Wales Echo & Express, Cardiff.

Buz kept company with lately? Does he spend much time with Roger Klgo?"

Fleming moistened the edge of his cigarette paper and carefully shaped the smoke. "Course, Roger's about the most important cattleman around. He's practically boss here. I reckon it's natural for Buz to kind of snatch up the pearls o' wisdom Klgo goes drops about rangin' cows and other important things."

The irony in his tone did not deceive her. On sudden impulse she touched his forearm. "Link, you—"

He thought they'd do something like Buz for this shooting? Like putting him in prison?"

(To Be Continued)

In Former Days

Comment On Manners And Fashions Of Yesterday

It may comfort the younger generation to know that scandalized comment on manners and fashions is not confined to the present. Grandmother had to put up with it, too.

An engaged girl in 1881 provoked an editorial in a Toronto newspaper, when she kissed her beau in public, and "looseness in dress" was the subject of an editorial protest in 1885. It was shown by clippings in an old scrapbook covering the period 1880-1880, which were the subject of an informal talk by J. A. Edson, Montreal lawyer, to a women's club.

So untrustworthy had men become in 1884—it appeared from an English clipping—that there was a movement on foot to allow women to be accountants.

Advertisements of the period indicated that the husband of 1885 was likely to come home to find his wife had bought him an "American steel collar or collars and cuffs made of paper."

Change Stamp Design

Reported Attempt Made To Alter Princess Elizabeth Stamp

The post office department reported attempts were being made to forge a tear on the "Princess Elizabeth" stamp issued last spring in connection with the king's jubilee.

The stamp, known as the "weeping princess" because of a small impression appearing in some specimens below the "princess" right eye and resembling a tear, became a rarity among philatelists.

Judge: "Speeding, eh? How many times have you been before me?"

Speeder: "Never, your honor. I've tried to pass you on the road once or twice, but my bus kind is the second."

In poker, the king is the second highest card, but in Italy the Duke takes the king.

We think this takes the cake for nerve. A peddler called at a house yesterday selling "No Peddlers" cards. He made a sale, too!

"I don't suppose you keep any such civilized thing as dog biscuits in this one-horse, run-down hick town, do you?" the tourist customer remarked.

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"Oh, yes we do," the village merchant replied pleasantly. "Quite a few folks like you come through here and we aim to have everything they call for. Will you have 'em in a bag or eat 'em here?"

RUNNING INTO SOMETHING

—Fitzpatrick, in the St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

Famous Wigmaker Dead

Willie Clarkson Was Interesting Figure in London's Life

The death of Willie Clarkson removes one of the most interesting figures in London's life. Eminent as a wig maker and famous as an impersonator, he became at the end of his life a social personality who was never absent from first nights and was in demand at the most important social functions of the year.

He deliberately dressed to make himself a character, and used to allow his hair and beard to grow in fantastic shapes. Wherever he went he selected for himself some appropriate accoutrement which set off his handsome features and imposing manner.

"Wigs by Clarkson" has appeared on the programs of most of the productions of note during the past half century, and his uniforms—50,000 of them—were worn by William the Conqueror's time onward, were part of his stock—have been used by military tournaments and fancy dress balls.

Young Clarkson had a flair for wig-making and fashioned them for stars of the stage, kings and crooks. The wigs were made at the back of his shop in Wardour street.

Above the shop he had his home, which was unmarred. His flat crowded with novelties given by the world's theatre and opera stars.

Sarah Bernhardt was a special favorite. He had kept particularly pride in the wig in which she played Magdalen and had to throw her hair over the feet of the actor playing the part of the Saviour. The wig was of natural hair, 66 inches long!

Another large job was the transformation of a lioness into a lion. A circus manager had announced the appearance of "The Fiercest Lion in the World" before he had seen the animal. Alas! It turned out to be a sleek lioness. But by the next afternoon Mr. Clarkson had fitted out that lioness with a magnificent mane mounted on elastic, and thousands were fooled.

Congress Of Hunters

Meeting To Be Held In Washington At Early Date

A continental congress of hunters, fishermen and other interested in North America's game resources—meeting with more than 1,000 people—will be called by President Roosevelt to meet at Washington at an early date. Canada and Mexico probably will be asked to send representatives.

In calling the wild life conservation conference, the president followed the recommendation of J. N. Dug Darling, who recently resigned as chief of the biological survey bureau. The naturalist and conservationist, in submitting his resignation, urged such a conference to create a federation of all wild life agencies in sufficient power to obtain protective legislation.

Darling said the conference would consist of members from big game and small, such as deer, bear and antelope down to the smallest fish and birds. Among the collateral subjects to be considered, the president said, are stream pollution control and better utilization of impounded waters. The plan is to handle national parks and crooked lands. Waterpower, he said, would be only indirectly involved.

Teaching English In Berlin

Employees Being Prepared To Handle Crowds At Olympic Games

A school for English has been opened in one of the best known cabarets in the West End of Berlin, Germany. Walters, page boys and bar maids are to be the staff in the afternoon. Across the front of the bar a blackboard has been put up and a teacher stands before it.

The pupils at around little tables at which, a few hours later, guests sip wines. They repeat in chorus the English phrases: "Good evening, sir." "What would you like to drink?" "Here is your change, sir." "Auf Wiedersehen, Good-night."

The staff of forty cabarets, bars and restaurants in Berlin are joining in the special English course as part of the preparation for the Olympic games next year.

Business Conditions

A review of business conditions in the Dominion during the first ten months of 1935 indicates that Canada's economic recovery drive is favorably progressing.

Field studies of harvesting potatoes on 224 farms showed that diggers injured 10 per cent. of the potatoes.

Cats cannot see in absolute darkness. Their vision is usually acute in the dusk, however.

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Little Helps For This Week

Man's goings are of the Lord; how then can a man understand his own way. Proverbs 20:24.

Be quiet, why this anxious heed about things they tangled ways? God knows them all. He giveth bread. And He allows delays.

We complain of the slow dull life we are forced to lead, of our humble sphere of action, of our position in the scale of society, of our having no room to make ourselves known, of our being overworked, of our being of pence. So do we say we have no Father who is directing our life, so do we say that God has forgotten us, that he is not with us in our need, and by our complaining do we lose the use and profit of the quiet years. Pleased "March in Faith," because you are not yet sent to your labor do you think God has ceased to remember you? Because you are forced to outwardly active life, think you also, in your years of quiet, may not be about your Father's business? It is a period given us in which to mature ourselves for the work God will give us to do.

Infant Prodigy

Four-Year-Old Chicago Boy Is Expert Violinist

A four-year-old boy who has been raised as a musical prodigy in the Chicago Musical College for his daily violin lessons undisturbed by his lack of clothes or the fact that his teachers have acclaimed him a genius.

The child, David A. Davis, was only a child when his first lesson was given him by his mother wrapped around him before he left home. He threw off the cape, raised a small violin to his chin and played "March in Faith" perfectly.

Max Fachel, David's instructor, said the child took his first lesson when he was two years and eight months old. He was four last October.

The Newest Chain Store

Goods Kept Behind Glass And Kept by Key

Marketing, Toronto, says Kee-doo is the name of a new type of store which has been opened up all over the world. It is a key present on entering. Merchandise in packages is displayed in glass cases which are locked by a key which is given to the customer. The key is paid and the cashier gives the key back. The customer gives the goods to the customer.

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Personalities

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Mr. and Mrs. R.J. Fairbairn of Calgary spent New Years visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S.F. Torrance.

Gemie Freisen was rushed to Calgary on Thursday night suffering from an attack of appendicitis and was operated on immediately. Latest reports are that he is progressing favorably.

Mr. and Mrs. C.A. Dunmore of Calgary were Carbon visitors last week.

T. Guttorf, agent of the Crown Lumber Company, was a Calgary visitor on Tuesday and returned on Wednesday.

Wilfred Poxon returned to the University at Edmonton last Thursday after spending the Christmas vacation at Carbon and Drumheller.

The annual New Year Dance in the Farmers' Exchange hall on New Year's Eve attracted a large crowd and all present report a merry time.

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THE CHRONICLE

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Miss Winnie Poxon of Calgary was a Carbon visitor for a few days last week.

Gordon Ramsay, of Bashaw, spent New Year's day at his home in Carbon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Poxon, Lawrence, and Miss I. Danlop of Drumheller were New Year's visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Smith.

Miss Molly Mahon returned to the University at Edmonton after spending the Christmas vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Mahon.

Mrs. S. F. Torrance underwent an operation on Tuesday, in the Holy Cross hospital, Calgary. The Family motored in on Wednesday.

I. Guttman returned on Tuesday from a week end visit to Calgary.

The Three Hills Bessie, which was at first set for January 28, 29 and 30, will now be held on January 14, 15 and 16, so as not to conflict with the Carbon bessie on the former dates.

Bruno Richard Hauptmann, who was to have died in the electric chair on January 13th for the murder of the kidnapped Lindbergh baby, has had his execution stayed until Friday, January 17th.

After forty below zero weather on Monday, the weather moderated on Tuesday and a Chinook seemed to be in the offing. However, it did not materialize, although the weather is considerably warmer and the days are bright.

The council of the Municipal District of Carbon held its regular monthly meeting in the Municipal office on Tuesday afternoon.

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A man cut out his advertising to see if he could save money. He didn't.

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